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In re Application of:

KATSUO KUMAGAI, ET AL.

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For: **THERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR MASTITIS OF
LIVESTOCK AND METHOD FOR
TREATING MASTITIS USING THE
SAME AGENT**

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SECOND SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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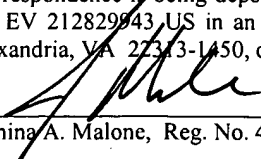
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Applicants herewith file a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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